

or assisting regular peace officers, or while acting as such peace officers.

SEC. 3. *Creation of Association.* An association to be known and designated as the Winston-Salem and Forsyth County Peace Officers' Protective Association shall be formed, the membership of which shall include all peace officers in Winston-Salem and Forsyth County as defined above.

SEC. 4. *Registration.* Peace Officers who are entitled to membership in the Association, in order to share in the benefits provided for in this act, shall make application for membership in the Association on blanks to be furnished for that purpose, giving such information as may be required by said Association, and shall pay an initiation fee and annual dues to be fixed by the executive board, hereinafter provided for: *Provided, however,* that such initiation fee shall not exceed five dollars and such dues shall not exceed twelve dollars per annum: *Provided, further,* that the provisions of this section shall not apply to special officers or citizens who have not had a reasonable time from date he was appointed, summonsed or deputized to register with said Association. And *provided, further,* that said reasonable time shall not exceed thirty days.

SEC. 5. *Creation of Executive Board.* That the chairman of the board of county commissioners of Forsyth County, the chairman of the police committee of the board of aldermen of the City of Winston-Salem, and the attorney for the City of Winston-Salem, shall be and they are hereby made *ex-officio* members of this executive board, and the remainder of said board shall be the sheriff of Forsyth County and the chief of police of the City of Winston-Salem, North Carolina. The said board shall elect a chairman at its first meeting in each year. A majority of the members of said executive board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

SEC. 6. *Sources of Revenue.* That in all criminal actions in Forsyth County, North Carolina, brought in courts other than courts of a justice of the peace, wherein the defendant shall enter a *nolo contendere*, a plea of guilty, or shall be adjudged guilty by the court or found guilty by a jury, wherein the costs of the action are paid by the defendant, there shall be taxed in the bill of cost a fee of one dollar, to be known as the Officers' Emergency Fee, and shall be collected as all other costs in criminal cases are collected by the clerk or other officer of the court authorized to receive costs; and such funds so received shall be accounted for monthly, a copy of which report shall be sent to the chairman of the executive board, and such funds turned over to the treasurer of Winston-Salem and Forsyth County Protective Association, to be by him held and securely kept for the purposes of the Association: *Provided, however,* that such Offi-

Peace Officers Protective Association created.

Includes all peace Officers in Winston-Salem and Forsyth County.

Peace officers register for membership in association to be entitled to benefits.

Initiation fee \$5.
annual dues \$12 per year.

Special officers to have reasonable time to register.

Thirty days.

Personnel of Executive Board.

Organization meeting.

Quorum.

Officers Emergency Fee to be taxed as costs in certain criminal cases, amount \$1 in each case.

Account of funds.

Treasurer of Winston-Salem to be Treasurer of funds.